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1. ON APRIL 21, MIAMI HERALD PRINTED FRONT PAGE HEADLINE ARTICLE IN WHICH FRANK STURGIS GIVES LENGTHY INTERVIEW ON HIS PLOTTING CASTRO'S DEATH ON BEHALF OF CIA. ARTICLE CLAIMS STURGIS WORKED FOR CIA FROM 1959-68. ARTICLE ALSO QUOTES STURGIS AS BEING INVOLVED IN ASSASSINATION PLOTS AND CONSPIRACIES TO OVERTHROW CUBA, PANAMA, GUATEMALA, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC AND HAITI.

2. STURGIS QUOTED AS FOLLOWS: "THE FIRST DISCUSSION OF ASSASSINATION WITH MY CIA CONTACTS WAS IN FEBRUARY 1959."

3. REQUEST CONSIDERATION BE GIVEN TO PUBLIC DENIAL THAT STURGIS WAS CIA AGENT. - *CLA feds no reply necessary*

4. NO FILE. E2. IMPDET *We not in business denying!*

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